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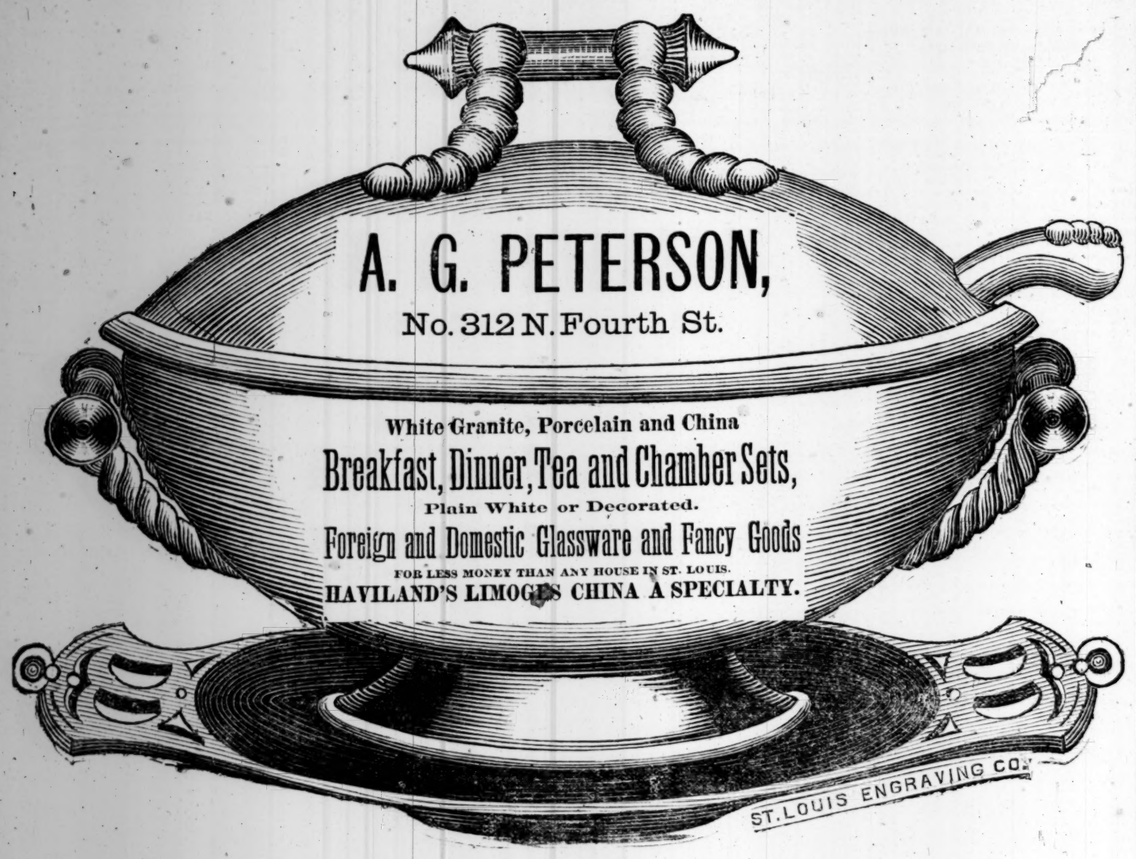

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Public Administrator's Sale of Merchant Tailoring Goods.

Notice is hereby given that, as Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis, and as such in charge of the estate of the late Patrick Dillon, deceased, I will sell on
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MARTROM D. LEWIS,
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AMUSEMENTS.

OLYMPIC THEATER.

John McCullough's opening night of his engagement was an omen of the success which will greet his dramatic season in St. Louis. The theater was packed from dome to pit, and standing room even was at a premium. For the initial performance Dr. Bird's tragedy of "The Gladiator" was selected. Spartacus is a character in which Mr. McCullough is pre-eminent. Physically he is the embodiment of the bold and daring Thracian who for two years deded the best armies of Rome. As a representative of Rome's dreaded enemy in the fearful servile war, McCullough has no equal on the stage. It is a personation in which his natural qualities aided by his fine dramatic ability force him to the very front rank. His rendering of the shepherd of Tarsus, from his capture by the Romans, his training in the gladiatorial arena, in the luxurious Capua, his victorious rising with his brother gladiators against his haughty masters, his final defeat and tragic death, is forcible and powerful in the extreme. The pathetic and poetical scenes between his wife and brother, which the author has interwoven with the historical account, lend a highly dramatic interest to the play. Mr. McCullough is probably the only actor on the stage who can do justice to the part. Mr. Warde as Plutarus proved that he is a capable and talented artist. The Senona of Miss Emma Stockman was a genuine surprise to that lady's friends and admirers. Hitherto she has been known as one of the best soubrettes in the country, but this season she aspired to higher honors and appeared as an exponent of the legitimate. Her success has astonished every one. Grace, dignity and power characterized her effort last evening, and her appearance in other roles will be looked for with interest. Another lady well known in St. Louis is Miss Mittens Willett. This is only her second season on the stage, and the rapid improvement and development observable in her short career are indications of a promising future. Her interpretation of the daughter of the Roman patrician captive among the rude band of the rebellious gladiators was sustained with infinite sweetness and pathos. Miss Willett will assuredly make her mark, and that shortly, in the profession she has adopted. One feature of last evening's performance must not be overlooked. All the parts, no matter how insignificant, were well rendered. The stage picture was complete. Grouped around the central character, the lesser roles stood out clear and distinct. There was not a blotch or blur to mar the illusion. Throughout, "The Gladiator" was put upon the stage in a manner hitherto foreign to St. Louis. The company is by all odds the strongest that has yet supported McCullough. This evening "Jack Cade" will be given. The curtain will be lowered during the passage of the Veiled Prophets, so as to allow the audience to witness the St. Louis Carnival, after which the play will be resumed.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.

Rice's Evangeline Combination opened at this house last evening to a good audience, and the popular musical extravaganza, which takes its name from the leading female character in the ludicrous incidents that go to make up the potpourri of melody and mirth, was never better received here. Miss Venie Clancey and Miss Lizzie Webster, the whilom Evangeline and Gabriel of the piece, were of course missed by those who had seen the piece before, and who had from frequent seeing come to associate these ladies with the parts, which seemed peculiarly their own; but their absence was satisfactorily replaced by Miss Dora Wiley and Miss Louise Searle, the former taking the role of the much-smitten and sweet-voiced heroine, and the latter rendering Gabriel's part in a manner that fully merited the applause bestowed upon her. Harry Hunter, in the character of the Lone Fisherman, was as quaint and laughable as ever, while George Fortescue's representation of the dainty maiden of some 400 pounds avoirdupois, with whom the attenuated Gen. Bing, of Ben Butler appearance, has toppled over head and ears in love, kept the audience roaring and holding its sides from the opening to the closing of the performance. The entire company, with the exception of the two female characters named remains the same as when seen here before, and shows much improvement, not only in the musical portion of the programme but in the business of the extravaganza, which has been much enlarged and humorously embellished in several places. To-night "Evangeline" will be repeated, and as the Veiled Prophets' procession will pass the theater, an interval will take place in the play to allow the audience to witness the pageant.

POPE'S THEATER.

Haverly's Juvenile Pinafore Company, from New York, gave its first representation of the delightful operetta that has been received with the greatest enthusiasm throughout this and other countries. "Pinafore" had been done as nearly to death here as a popular selection of airs, such as constitute it, could possibly be done. But the new charm that was added to it last evening, the different characters being taken by little masters and misses, who have scarcely more than graduated into their teens, gave the audience a renewed interest in the production, and the singing, music and dialogue were listened to with as much delight as they created when first heard. The young members of the company have pretty and excellently trained voices, and take their respective parts in good style. Arthur Dunn as Dick Deadeye created a favorable impression at once, while Jennie Dunn as Ralph Rackstraw, Annie Walker as Josephine, Zoe Tuttle as Buttercup, and Daisy Murdock as Hebe received their share of recognition and merited the hearty applause that was bestowed upon them. The opera is well put upon the stage, the scenery being quite an improvement on the few pieces that are usually used to mount "Pinafore." The chorus, consisting of forty-one male and female voices, is a very good one. Here, as at the other theaters, the audience will be afforded an opportunity to witness the procession of the Veiled Prophets.

THEATRE COMIQUE.

The variety bill presented at the Comique this week is of a character to please the patrons of this house. It is long, well selected, and comprises the best variety artists the market affords. Manchester and Jennings, the four Diamonds, John Hart, Prof. Leon with his trained dogs, and a host of other performers make a bill such as has not been presented here for many a day.

AMATEUR PINAFORE.

The Amateur Pinafore Company, under the direction of Prof. Allman, gave their first entertainment last evening at Mercantile Library Hall. The performance will be repeated to-morrow evening, and all desiring to attend can secure reserved seats at Balmer & Weber's Book and News Company, and Alexander's and Catlin's drug stores.

EAST ST. LOUIS.

Instructions to the Justices of the Peace in Relation to Fines Collected from Prisoners—Items.

Mayor Joyce yesterday and to-day addressed communications to the justices of the peace, instructing them to make a full report of the monies received from fines imposed by them for violations of city ordinances or State offenses committed in the city, and also to make a report of the business transacted to the City Council at their regular quarterly meetings.

Heretofore the fines collected from prisoners convicted of violations of city ordinances went to the justices and were never accounted for. Mayor Joyce intends to remedy this, as he claims that by section 71 article 11 of the city ordinances all moneys collected as fines or licenses must be turned over to the City Clerk.

To find how the 'squires looked upon the communications a reporter called upon the jovial 'Squire Tom, but found him a bad subject. He would not be interviewed on any subject.

'Squire Eggmann was found at his office, and said he had no objection to letting the public know his views on this subject. He said: "The city is perfectly right, and as far as I am concerned I will comply with the directions received from Mayor Joyce and Mr. Kase. Heretofore these moneys remained with the Justices because they did not know to whom they should pay them. As for me, I have nothing to turn over, as the city is indebted to me over $50 for costs. I will make my report as the communication directs." At the next quarterly meeting of the Council next Monday the subject will be considered.

Frank O'Neil imbibed too much benzine, and, while near the market-house, fell from his wagon into a pool of mud. Some men who saw him fall thought that he was hurt, and carried him into the market. He was able to drive off in a few minutes.

An I. and St. L. freight car, loaded with wagons, jumped the track near the Relay Depot this morning and had to be emptied.

Amateur "Pinafore"

Again to-morrow night—Mercantile Library Hall.

Discerning and Intelligent.

[From the Moberly Monitor.]

The POST-DISPATCH is a good paper, and its editor an astute politician and journalist.

To St. Louis visitors who fail to get rooms during Fair week we would say they can get good accommodations at the Kirkwood Hotel by taking a forty minute ride to Kirkwood, on the Missouri Pacific Road, and be back here by 8 o'clock in the morning.

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On Saturday the POST-DISPATCH is issued as an eight-page paper of fifty-six columns. In addition to the usual features of the daily paper, it will contain full reviews of all local events of the week. Dramatic, Religious, Sporting, Literary, Musical, etc., making it essentially a paper for the home and family.

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AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING.

OLYMPIC THEATER—Jack Cade.
POPE'S THEATER—H. M. S. Pinafore.
GRAND OPERA-HOUSE—Evangeline.
THEATRE COMIQUE—Variety Performance.
FAIR GROUNDS—Annual Fair.

INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, October 7.—For Tennessee and Ohio Valley cloudy weather, with rain and easterly winds, becoming variable, nearly stationary temperature, low barometer. For Lower Lake Region increasing cloudiness followed by occasional rains, easterly winds, nearly stationary temperature, stationary or lower barometer. For Upper Lake Region cloudy or partly cloudy weather, with occasional rain, southerly veering to colder winds in northwestern portion, stationary or higher barometer. For Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys cloudy or partly cloudy weather with rain, southerly winds becoming variable, stationary or lower barometer and temperature. Cautionary signals continue at Alpena and Duluth.

ST. LOUIS is in festive attire.

Has anybody been praying for rain anywhere lately? If such there be he would do well to keep away from St. Louis.

THE teaching of German in the public schools will not be suspended. That much is settled.

THE monthly statements of the condition of the Missouri Treasury are growing slightly monotonous.

THERE seems to be a growing suspicion that Don Morrison's candidacy for the Senate is only meant for a joke.

THE election to-day was not very exciting. In fact, very few people seem to have known that there was any election at all.

SENATOR VEST, who is in the city in connection with the great gas suit, is entirely confident that the Supreme Court will decide in favor of the city.

THE election in Ohio takes place next Tuesday. The Democrats seem to be very hopeful, and, probably, will carry the Legislature, thereby securing the seat of Senator Thurman for six years longer.

IF it is true as alleged that Col. Don Morrison is to be a candidate for the United States Senate, the indications are that he will have a hard road to travel, as there seems to be a disposition among our contemporaries to pitch into him upon the mere mention of his name.—*Mexico Intelligencer.*

This is a mistake. The disposition is general not to speak of this "alleged" candidacy seriously at all, but regard it only as a humorous notion.

A COMMITTEE of the Fall River strikers recently waited upon John Kelly with a statement of their grievances, and received from him a contribution of $100. As Mr. Kelly is a candidate for office, the taking of money from him was simply blackmail, and American workmen should feel degraded that money had been obtained in such a way. We need hardly express an opinion of Mr. Kelly's statesmanship in coming down with the money promptly.

THE St. Louis POST-DISPATCH and the Washington *Post* are discussing the question whether the Democratic party can lose New York and Ohio this fall and yet elect their Presidential candidate next fall—the former affirming and the latter denying. The question is scarcely a practical one, but is of interest as indicating a strong conviction in Democratic minds that both New York and Ohio are likely to go Republican this year.—[Illinois State Journal.

Wait till the votes are counted. New York will as certainly go Democratic this year as it did in 1876. There is no longer any doubt about the ticket. The only doubt exists about Mr. Robinson. But, beginning with Clarkson N. Potter, who will be Lieutenant-Governor, the entire ticket is practically elected already, and in Ohio, too, the prospects seem to be improving every day.

THE *Globe-Democrat* is so elated over the success of the Grant boom that it wants both parties to unite on Grant as they did for G. Washington. If George had had Babcock for his Surveyor, Robeson for his Secretary of the Navy, Shepherd for his boss and Johnny McDonald for his crony, and had been surrounded by the Corbins, Dents, Cramers, Murphys and sich, we do not think George would have had an opportunity of declining a third term. There is a slight difference between the words of G. Washington and U. S. Grant, but it is probable that there may be a slight difference between the spontaneous patriotism which hailed Washington as Father of his country and the sordid greed, the secthatred, the small, self-seeking venality and the cynical shamelessness over past misdeeds which go to make up the Grant boom.

A NOBLE PAIR.

There is no reason why Democrats should be discouraged, but there is every reason why they should be hopeful of the result next year.

The Democratic party has done no great national act that it need be ashamed of in the last four years.

The Republican party has, in that time, endorsed the greatest fraud of modern times.

Suppose either Grant or Sherman should be nominated for President by the Republicans?

If it is Sherman, the Republican party will have endorsed a man who was the chief conspirator in the fraud of 1876, and who has been its chief defender since that time. Will the nation elect such a man to the Presidency?

If Grant is nominated, he again becomes a politician, and will be treated as such.

He and his friends must not deceive themselves by the ovation he has received on his return to America. He returns as a private citizen and is welcomed as such, but when he is led before the people by the very men who made his administration infamous the people will take a sober, second thought before they vote for him for a third term.

What two more vulnerable men in the Republican party are there than Grant and Sherman?

The Republican party itself was sick of Grant's last term, and his renomination in 1876 was out of the question. Have four years obliterated the memory of a thousand crimes against civil liberty and public morality?

Sherman has the confidence of nobody. He can not excite enthusiasm in his own party, hardly receive the general respect of his own partisans. He is selfish. No country was ever cursed with a worse political hypocrite.

So that in case of the nomination of either Grant or Sherman, the Democrats will receive the material for a most vigorous campaign, with the indications of success clearly defined.

PUBLIC OPINION.

A Pertinent Question.

ST. LOUIS, October 6, 1879.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Please inform an inquiring public by what right or authority the grounds around the Court-house is filled with seats and rented out at $1 per seat? We supposed it was public property, and for the use of the public. Where does the money go to that the seats are sold for?

INQUIRER.

[We give it up. Will not somebody else furnish the information?—ED.]

Reply by Citizen Fink.

ST. LOUIS, October 7, 1879.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

A correspondent in your issue of the 4th inst. who is either ashamed of the name he bears or whose "life" is so base that he dare not sign his name to a communication—perhaps he is a stockholder in the Street Railroad Pool of this city—has seen fit to inquire of you as to my previous career on account of the expressions used by me in the Citizens' Committee, in relation to the Governor and Lieutenant-Governor's conduct in connection with the defeat of the amendment of the street-railroad laws at the last session of the Legislature. If "Enquirer" will sign his real name, I will compare my career for the past twenty six years in the city of St. Louis with that many years of his career, and I am glad to say I have been as true to the people as to my pay. By-by, "Enquirer."

As to the expression used by me about our very high officials in relation to their action in thwarting the expressed will of the people as shown through the State Legislature when it repealed the most obnoxious and iniquitous part of our street railroad law, I have nothing to retract; if they please to so treat the people, thwart their will, in favor of the monopolies that exist in our city, they deserve some mark of distinction. Yours truly,

CHAS. FINK.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

Small-Pox.

OTTAWA, October 6.—Two hundred cases of small-pox are reported at Hull. The schools are closed.

General Grant.

SAN FRANCISCO, October 6.—General Grant arrived at Merced this evening, en route from Yosemite. It is snowing in the mountains.

An Open Board of Brokers.

NEW YORK, October 6.—The open board of brokers, which was successful during the war, but was subsequently swallowed up by the Stock Exchange, is to be revived.

Incendiary.

DALLAS, TEX., October 6.—An attempt was made last night to burn the Jewish Synagogue. The gas was turned on and fire set to the wood work, which failed to burn.

Soldiers' Reunion.

CLINTON, ILL., October 6.—About thirty of the most prominent generals of the late war will be here at the Soldiers' Reunion which takes place on the 8th, 9th and 10th of the present month.

The Pittsburg Riots.

PITTSBURG, PA., October 6.—An important decision of the Supreme Court, bearing on the riot losses in this city, was rendered here today. The Court decides that Allegheny county is liable.

Shot from the Bush.

CINCINNATI, October 6.—Hon. Josiah A. Hyatt, a prominent citizen of Rowan county, Ky., was waylaid Saturday night while on his way home and shot by some parties hid in ambush. No cause is assigned for the deed.

Washington.

WASHINGTON, D. C., October 6.—The Secretary of the Navy, in his next annual report to Congress, will recommend the adoption of such legislation as will permit a certain number of boys on the training ships to become eligible as officers.

Trial of Bill Young.

KEOKUK, IA., October 6.—The case against William J. Young for the murder of James Spencer and his four children in Clark county, Mo., in 1877, came up in the Circuit Court at Kahoka to-day. One hundred and seventy-five witnesses have been subpœnaed.

An Agent Assaulted.

CINCINNATI, O., October 6.—Dr. Hamilton Griffin, stepfather of Mary Anderson, the actress, and her agent, Hickey, assaulted J. P. Smith, agent of the Pullman Car Comedy Company, to-day. The cause was an old grudge alleged to have originated in New York through a broken contract.

The Brooklyn Theater Opened.

NEW YORK, October 6.—The new Brooklyn theater, built upon the site of the play-house which burned nearly two years ago, was tonight opened, Miss Clara Morris being the attraction in a new American play written by Don Piatt, entitled "The Royal Favorite."

Counterfeiting in Prison.

FRANKFORT, KY., October 6.—Authorities of the Kentucky Penitentiary examined the different departments of the prison to-day and discovered a lot of counterfeiters' and burglars' tools, besides a quantity of the queer. For some time past a considerable amount of counterfeit money has been in circulation in Frankfort. It is supposed that the coins were given to the trustees, who are allowed to go on the streets, and they did the business of either shoving it on the merchants or giving it to confederates who did the same thing.

How is This, Dr. Freetorius?

[From the New York World.]

Under Mr. Schurz's administration Indian affairs are as scandalously mismanaged as they were in the days when the sweet influences of reform were unknown in the Interior Department. For Zach Chandler we have no particular admiration or affection, but candor compels the admission that as a Secretary of the Interior he was a good deal more of a business man than Mr. Schurz, and a good deal less of a Pharisee.

Last Edition

THE FAIR.

Popular Enthusiasm Dampened by the Rain,

And Visitors Kept Away by the Inhospitable Elements.

Nevertheless the Great Show Goes on all the Same.

Brilliant Attractions in the Amphitheater and the Departments.

The cloudy, threatening weather of the second day of the Fair had the effect of keeping away many people who would otherwise have been present. After the awful crowd of yesterday the grounds looked quite desolate with the few people who turned out this morning. As the day wore on the attendance became better and better, until the amphitheater wore a thronged appearance.

During the morning hours few people manifested much enthusiasm about anything. They wandered from one shelter to another, looked out drearily at the drizzle and amused themselves prophesying evil about the Veiled Prophets' procession.

The usual reception met with at the gates is enough to throw a gloom over the ordinary citizen under any circumstances, for the gate-keepers succeed in giving everybody the impression that they have been detected in trying to pass themselves through under false pretenses, and few people come into the grounds without the consciousness that the gatekeepers know something to their disadvantage.

In the Police Station there is very little news. A trifle over 100 lost children were found yesterday and restored to their parents, and five pick-pockets were picked up—Messrs. George Thompson, a colored gentlemen after whom Sergeant Price had a long chase, James Smith, alias George McCabe, Tom Bender, John Dwyer and J. H. Carson. A much larger crop of pick-pockets will be taken this year than heretofore, the police believe.

THE AWARDING COMMITTEES

are going about their work very slowly. Only a few awards were made yesterday, and to-day's work dragged.

One of the most interesting performances to the general public is the careful grooming the big pigs receive from their attendants. Not alone are they washed and rubbed carefully and permitted to lie only on clean straw, but curry-comb and brush are brought into play and every hair arranged just as it ought to be, to the extreme discomfort of the hog, who can do nothing in comfort, but is meek and repressed in all his natural instincts by an awful and cruel cleanliness.

They are very peculiar people, the men who watch the different animals. The hog men are slouchy as a rule, and addicted to short pipes, ten rails and chewing the end of a long straw. They are very gregarious and at the same time very silent. The cow men from long contact with the tractable breathed, comfortable cattle are rugged, clean looking and contemplative animals. They get some of the effect of being tilted before human affairs, from their sleek Devon, Jersey and Holstein charges.

The sheep people are all contrariwise. They are not at all lamb like, nor sheepish, but assertive, talky and progressive.

The fact is that all the exhibitors seem to absorb some of the characteristics of the articles they exhibit, and the men in cow cages are as great curiosities as the machinery. The latter worker has all the patience and ingenuity of his machinery, and the silken utterances of another gentleman may be referred directly to the cocoons he shows.

Up to the present time drunkenness has been extremely limited among the visitors, but few disorderly people have had to be cautioned by the police, and an arrest is a very unfrequent occurrence. As there have been few drinking, there has been comparatively no fighting, the only excitement being the capture of occasional alleged pickpockets.

At the booths the keepers are willing to admit that yesterday was a tolerably good day, but they at once make things even by declaring that to-day is still another. On the whole, considering the weather, however, the crowd is a large one.

The Amphitheater.

There was a transformation in the scene in the amphitheater this morning. The change was two-fold. The weather was no longer smiling and bright; dark leaden-hued clouds hung over the landscape and a drizzling rain ever and anon fell upon the earth. Neither was the huge amphitheater thronged with the happy faces of children. Only a few hundred spectators were gathered in the amphitheater at 10 a. m., and they were evidently of the rustic sort—farmers and men of that ilk who are interested in cattle in Devons, Ayrshires and Herefords and horses and mules. They watched the competition of the various breeds of cattle with a keen and scrutinizing eye. They summed up the points of a Jersey with all the calmness of an expert judge.

The track was very heavy this morning on account of the rain. Accordingly the condition of the awards for light harness horses was postponed till later in the day, and the mules were brought in for judging.

The cattle were also on hand to day, and the judges were kept busy deciding close points of superiority. The cattle department is under the direction of Mr. E. A. Filley, who is himself a typical jolly bucolic gentleman. Messrs. Walsh, Clarkson and Martin were on hand superintending the horse department.

Altogether there was a look of business about things to-day. Perhaps the absence of a crowd, bent upon recreation and amusement, depressed the directors and judges, and they thought it was best to go ahead and get through. The Knights of Pythias band, as usual, was stationed in the pagoda, and played lively music during intervals, which was a relief to the gloomy monotony of the scene. The bellowing of the cattle, as if they felt the influence of the atmosphere, was also mournful and had nothing inspiriting or triumphant as if they bethought themselves victors in the bovine contest.

The rain fell steadily during the morning hours. It was an aggravating, worrying shower, now falling drop by drop and then again coming down rather rapidly. The grand circle surrounding the pagoda was deserted and all the gentlemen gathered themselves beneath the sheltering spiral stairway. Despite the foul weather the crowd in the amphitheater is growing in numbers and they have settled on the seats as if they intended to pass the whole day resting on the wooden benches.

Horse Department.

MULES.

The awarding in this department commenced with the mules. The judges were Messrs. Bridgeford, Dickson and Benner.

THE BEST PAIR FROM FARM.—This was the first class judged. The entries were three, James Reilly, St. Louis; J. D. Hicks, Roanoak, Mo., Trickie and Dickie; Albert Allen, Mexico, Mo., Belle and Fanny. The first premium of $40 was given to J. D. Hicks; the second of $20 to Albert Allen.

BEST PAIR FOR DRAFT.—Four entries. James Reilly, St. Louis; J. D. Hicks, Roanoak, Mo.; Albert Allen, Mexico, Mo., and Maxwell Bros., Mo. Maxwell Bros. captured the blue ribbon and $40, and J. D. Hicks the second premium and $15.

JACKS AND JENNETS.

BEST JACK OF ANY AGE.—The prizes in this class were $50 and $20. There were nine entries, namely: Richard Gott, New Florence, Mo., entered Compromise and Brigham Young; J. B. Ritter, Jacksonville, Ill., Tom Marshall; M. Pesant, New York, five entries, Leon, Noble, Travieso, Galgo, Rabiso; J. C. Smith, Caledonia, Mo., Tilden. J. B. Ritter won the first and J. C. Smith the second premium.

BEST JENNET OF ANY AGE.—Two entries by Richard Gott, of New Florence, Mo., Beauty and Black Hawk. Beauty took the first premium, and Black Hawk second money. $10.

BEST SADDLE MULE.—James Reilley took the first premium of $25; James Cooney second money, $10.

DRAFT HORSES.

STALLIONS, FOUR YEARS AND OVER.—The Duke of Cleveland won the blue ribbon, while Merkle's young Lochfergus bore off the red.

STALLIONS, THREE YEARS AND UNDER FOUR.—First premium of $50 was awarded to William Moffat's Pinafore, and second money, $20, captured by the same gentleman's Wonderful Tom.

MARES 4 YEARS AND OVER.

The blue and red ribbons were both taken by the Osnada West Farm Association by Duchess and Princess respectively.

STALLIONS.—D. Fisher's Marquis Lawrence won first premium, $50, and E. Dillon & Co.'s Nogeant, second premium, $25.

MARES OR GELDINGS.—The premiums were $30 and $15. Bailey's Lotta took down the blue ribbon, and Dillon's Eveline the red.

Cattle Department.

This department is under the supervision of Mr. E. A. Filley, but, during his absence today, Mr. Dan. Clarkson assumed control. The cattle were all on hand at the ring at 10 o'clock, and the awarding commenced. The judges were Messrs. Campbell, of Tennessee; Harrison, St. Louis county; Dr. Sprigers, St. Louis county, and Gen. Singleton, Quincy, Ill.

DEVONS.

Bull, four years and over, only two entries. D. W. Whitmore, of Casstown, O., took first premium, $75, with Barefoot. L. P. Ross, of Avon, Ill., took second premium, $30, with Sheito.

Bull, three years and under four, one entry: J. Hyatt, of Florissant, Mo., who took first money, $40, with Whetfred.

Bull, two years and under three, one entry: Mrs. W. C. Flagg, Avon, Ill., who took first premium. $25, with Lady May's Duke.

Bull, one year and under two, D. J. Whitmore, Casstown, O., with Gen. Pope, won the blue ribbon and $20, and Mrs. W. C. Flagg, Avon, Ill., took the red ribbon and $10.

Bull calf under one year. Four entries. First money $10, and second money $5., were both captured by J. P. Ross, of Avon, Ill.

Cow, four years and over. Nine entries. First premium, $75, taken by D. J. Whitmore, Carttown, O.; second, $30, by J. P. Ross, Avon, Ill.

Cow, three years and under four. Four entries. D. J. Whitmore won first premium, $40, and W. C. Hagg, Avon, Ill., second, $20.

Heifer, two and under three. Three entries. D. J. Whitmore, Casstown, O., took first premium, $25, and L. F. Ross, Avon, Ill., second, $10.

Heifer, 1 year and under 2. Five entries. D. J. Whitmore took first money, $20; and L. T. Ross second, $10.

Heifer calf, under 1 year and over six months. First premium, $10, was taken by L. F. Ross; second, $5, by D. J. Whitmore.

Best heifer calf, under six months, premium $5, was won by L. T. Ross.

JERSEYS.

Bull four years and over. Four entries. First premium $75, taken by D. Douglas, of Pevely, Mo.; second $30, by V. Barber, of Decatur, Ill.

Bull three years and under four. Five entries. First premium T. Turner, of Normandy, Mo., won the first premium, $40, and George Jackson, of Indianapolis, second, $20.

Bull 2 years and under 3, five entries; first premium, $25, was won by S. M. Poyntz, Maysville, Ky.; second, $10, by Geo. Jackson, of Indianapolis.

Bull 1 year and under 2, five entries; first premium, $20, taken by S. M. Poyntz; second premium, $10, by S. Stratton, Litchfield, Ill.

Bull calf under one year. Fifteen entries. First premium $20, and second $5, both taken by S. M. Poynts, Maysville, Ky.

Cow four years and over. Nineteen entries. First premium $75, and second $30, both won by Thomas T. Turner, of Normandy, Mo.

Cow three years and under four; thirteen entries. First premium, $40, won by Thomas T. Turner; second $20, won by S. Stratton, of Litchfield, Ill.

Heifer two years and under three; ten entries. First premium, $25, and second, $10, both won by George Jackson, of Indianapolis.

Heifer one year and under two. Twelve entries. First premium $20, and second $10, both taken by Thomas T. Turner, of Normandy, Mo.

... calf under one year and over six months; eight entries. First premium, $10, taken by Thos. T. Turner; second, $5, by Louis Strack, of Warsaw, Ill.

Best heifer calf under six months; the premium, $5, was taken by Thos. T. Turner.

The Bench Show.

Competent judges pronounce the St. Louis Bench Show one of the very best of the kind ever seen in America, not alone in the variety but in the special excellence of the dogs shown.

There are 275 canines on exhibition, all of them of the bluest of blue blood.

The dog Paris is the best one in the show in the matter of recorded performances.

He is a heavy English setter, blue belton, five years old, and a beauty in every particular. Money could not buy him to-day, and he carries himself with the consciousness of his aristocratic quality. His pedigree has been given before in the POST-DISPATCH, and his performances, especially his winning the Centennial prizet. Next to Paris in value comes Coin, an imported English setter, black, white and tan ticked, two years and three months old, by Leicester ex Rose, by the same sire as Paris. He is held at $10,000, although his owner, Mr. Frank B. Fay, has no wish to sell his beautiful dog. When taken from the box he frisks about gaily, not seeming to feel it necessary to keep up the cool hauteur with which Paris receives the caresses of the mob.

A number of other very fine setters are shown, all of them good blooded and well broken dogs, and the competition will be very close. Queen Mab, Foss, Lotty, Nilsen and others are the cyster for the first show.

Mr. Helabird, the veteran sportsman from Valparaiso, is showing some excellent pointers. Palmerston, Jr., the son of the black English dog Palmerston ex Quail, sister to the champion Elcho. Few finer dogs have been shown in St. Louis than this pointer, which Helabird holds at $5,000. He is a brown, strong-limbed dog, bearing the marks of his blood and breeding in every muscle. Helabird has another pointer, Chips, a regular beauty, whose ancestry goes back to dogs imported by the physician of the Earl of Thornton. The pointer show is an excellent one, but not quite equal to the setters. General Rowett exhibits some rugged beagles—Rose, Lily and Lee. These dogs are splendid little fellows, with faces as bright and intelligent as dogs' can be.

The ball is rolled in motion by the gentlemen, who were most enthusiastic in their admiration of the black and tans and other useless dogs were like the lilies of the valley. The Coolies are general pets. "Sir Roderick," a most peculiar looking dog, who—affection goes out to every one who passes him, is a favorite. Mr. Turner's Queen, a blue imported Shepherd dog, is a fine animal. The English setters are also out in force, and display all the peculiar excellences of this breed.

Small Blaze.

At half-past eleven o'clock the exciting discovery was made that the roof of the annex to the Textile Department was on fire. A thick, heavy smoke was raising from the southern roof. A large crowd collected at once, the engine was called out and the hose paid out at a rapid rate, and just as the pyrotechnics were completed the fire ingloriously went out. Damage trifling.

A Second Blaze.

Considerable consternation was created amongst the crowds at the Fair Grounds about half-past eleven, when an alarm of fire was raised. A general rush was made from the Amphitheater and all the compartments in the direction whence smoke was issuing. The fire broke out in booth 14, owned by Zelle & Son, and commenced at the rear of the building, which was unoccupied in the usual way with curtains and other flimsy material. It is said that some cooking was being done with coal oil, and the curtains ignited, others say the curtains caught fire from the gas jets. However that may be, in a moment the flimsy fabric was in a blaze. The hose carriage came rushing up, and buckets were ready and in a few minutes the fire was extinguished. Great alarm was felt at first, but the damage to the booth is ... damaged and the loss will be under $50. It was some time before the excitement abated.

Fair Notes.

The Textile Hall was closed all morning.

Many were the victims of the umbrella fiend.

The agricultural departments are well patronized to-day.

All seem to enjoy themselves, notwithstanding the rain.

By a large majority the visitors at the Fair are country people.

The committees are awarding premiums in the Textile, Machinery, and Fruit, Butter, etc., Departments.

AMATEUR "Pinafore" better than ever last night; one more chance to see it to-morrow.

Woods Ablaze.

NORWOOD, N. Y., October 7.—The woods for miles about Madrid are on fire, and farmers are rapidly removing their produce. In Louisville and Massena great damage has been done.

PROF. ALLMAN'S Amateur "Pinafore" great success last night; go early to-morrow evening and get good seats.

DON'T fail to see Amateur "Pinafore" to-morrow night—last time.

BREECH-LOADING SHOT GUNS.

Remington's new model, 10 or 12 bore, list $40. Double-barrel, 8½ lbs, 30-in., reduced to net $25. Ask for list. E. C. MEACHAM & Co.

A Gorgeous Display.

Mermod, Jaccard & Co., the jewelers of Fourth and Locust, have immortalized themselves at this Fair by getting up the three most magnificent cases of silverware, fairce, rare bronzes, beautiful and costly clock sets, parian marbles, platinum vases exquisitely decorated, superb plaques, painted by Miller, fine watches, diamond crosses, ear-rings and lockets, besides a thousand costly things which one can never specify in an article like this. The arrangement and general design of the three cases, connected by arched domes in black and red and blue, is one of great taste, and as novel as it is pretty. This collection alone is worth a long stay in the textile annex, as every one understands that when Mermod, Jaccard & Co. get up an exhibition of their goods it must be in every way worthy the attention and close scrutiny of the very best art critics. The cases on either end are noticeable as containing each a silver dinner set of 200 pieces, one of Damascus style and the other Florence, each piece corresponding with another, which enhances the value of the set as a whole.

Among the articles some of the best ever seen in this country, and the whole collection is costly and magnificent. One watch, costing one thousand dollars, attracts considerable admiration, and the very lowest watch has as many admirers, as Mermod, Jaccard & Co. are celebrated as much for the excellence of their low-priced watches as other firms are for high-priced ones. The wonder of the people who have been crowding into the store down town seems to be directed mainly toward the fact that Mermod, Jaccard & Co. keep the most beautiful goods ever shown anywhere, and have marked each article in plain figures at such low prices. It is a matter of astonishment at home patrons as well as strangers that this is the case. This week the Exposition of silverware, diamonds, watches and jewelry at the store on Fourth and Locust will be the most complete ever seen. All former displays are excelled this week by Mermod, Jaccard & Co.

ANY one who has not seen "Pinafore" should go to Mercantile Library Hall to-morrow night and witness the Amateur performance.

THE PROPHETS' VEIL.

Weather Permitting, it will be Lifted To-Night,

And a Scene of Golden Glory will be Revealed.

The Streets of the City Thronged With Thousands of Visitors.

Preparations for To-Night's Pageant—The Grand Ball.

The whole adjacent country seems to have shipped in and taken possession of St. Louis today. The streets are no longer the undisputed property of citizens, the hotels have passed from the possession of the commercial traveler and the occasional gentleman of leisure; the boarding-houses are groaning with a plethora of people whom they will see but for a few days, and who will then pass from the influence of the landladies' purposes, it may be only for another year and it may be forever; the street-cars are crowded with rustic lads and lasses who take delight in airing themselves in open-air conveyances, which appear to furnish them as much comfort an l pleasure as a "coach and six" could do under other circumstances; the Fair is at the mercy of the eyes and hands of people who have flooded in upon us from all within a varying radius whose extremity touches each farther part of the continent; the places of public resort come in for a thronging share of the strangers; the fakirs who deal in questionable trinkets and who run policy shops on questionable scales at street and alley corners reap a rich harvest of hard-earned dimes and dollars from the gentry who believe themselves "too fly" to be caught by any of the tricks of sharpers, and who would laugh a monte man to scorn while a "cigar snap" or a "ball throwing" enterprise was catching the cents that tumbled quite easily and rapidly from their thinly lined wallets; saloon-keepers, street-peddlers, quasi-merchants, and the Lord only knows who, else are storing up wealth in this hour of ripeness and prosperity to make up for the deficiency which will overtake them when the city is depleted of its present unfamiliar and unsophisticated throngs. But apart from this, there is one feature of it which, notwithstanding its ridiculous character, is nevertheless a true picture, the solid men of the city have begun to draw upon themselves upon the great number of visitors. Business of every description is booming, and the retail merchant and the wholesale firm shake hundreds of customers by the hand and enter their names upon their cash books whom they probably would never have come in contact with were it not for the Fair posters and the Veiled Prophet hieroglyphics which have been distributed and conspicuously displayed in every small town that is in any way tributary to St. Louis trade. Stores uptown and down were crowded last night and this morning, and, although many had entered only to look around, a purchase was rounded at was displayed upon the shelves and counters, the great majority made purchases, a look away some serviceable souvenir of their visit to the Future Great.

Street Scenes.

Along the streets steady streams of people poured from early morning, and at noon Fourth and Locust streets were so crowded that locomotion was a matter of the very direst circumstances of navigation. The corner from the country was distinguishable in the male sex by his long linen duster, and broad-brimmed and flat-crowned hat, while the sister rustic invariably wore a wrap of yellow linen, and had bundles, band-boxes, or some characteristic package in her hands. All seemed to wander for the sake of the walk. The streets were sloppy, the pavements did considerable damage to the trailing heels of pantaloons and the sweeping skirts of dresses; the rain simmered down in a drizzly, disagreeable way, and the general outlook for good weather was of the gloomiest gloomy. The high windows were all there very fine under the circumstances and noses were flattened against them heedless of the moist mark which was left at the point of contact. Band wagons with advertising intent paraded up and down, and the number of small boys with hand-bills and old men with business cards was noticeably in excess of the ordinary strength of this army of dissemination of information.

PREPARATIONS FOR TO-NIGHT'S

illuminations were going on in many places, but in the majority the men were kept so busy attending to customers, displaying goods, and answering questions, that there was not time to give to fixing up for the evening's programme. In all available localities along the route of march stands and platforms are being erected by merchants or individuals who will let them out to the public to-night at the rate of from $1 upward for each person. Housetops, vacant lots, the roofs of puny-looking offices and weakly-built sheds were being turned into grand stands for the occasion, while all the windows and doors on from Twelfth and the streets around the line of the procession were being placed in readiness for spectators. The whole scene is going up of the openings in public and private buildings has materially interfered with the illuminations, which would otherwise be on a large and more general scale. On Washington avenue particularly lumber has been made to do good service for the folks who wish to view to-night's pageant in its August glory. In some instances it would probably be better to give the stands a chance of blowing or falling down by themselves, instead of venturing life and limb in coming to the ground with them, for many of the structures are to all appearances weak, and with a hundred people on them there will no more support that number than a cloud could uphold an elephant. The bridge entrance has been surmounted by numerous rows of seats, and

ALONG FOURTH AND FIFTH STREETS

platforms have been put up to accommodate the people. The corner grass plots in the Court-house square have been boarded over and will, it is said, accommodate 3,500 people. Just at the following point in the procession. Along Third street some of the business houses have given their windows over to friends and have satisfied themselves with decorating the fronts of their establishments with bunting, almost entirely disregarding the lighted tapers that were in such favor on previous years. Fire-works will be displayed at frequent intervals, and the fiery shower from the dome of the Court-house, for which ample preparations were completed this morning, will be one of the grandest sights ever seen by any public—at least, so it is said.

To-Night's Pageant.

The pageant itself will far surpass that of last year. Twenty-two floats of gorgeous beauty will be in the line, headed by a cavalcade of horsemen in dominoes, and flanked by 1,000 men carrying flaring torches that will light up the pageant throughout its entire extent. Last year there were but seventeen floats used. This year there are not only more than that number, but each float is got up in a richer and more resplendent form. The allegory which will be presented in this succession of realistic pictures will be the progress of the mechanical arts,—the first float representing nature in its volcanic state, and the others in the regular order of progression showing the rise, growth, and expansion of inventions of all kinds and characters. The order of these floats will be as follows:

1. Volcano—Nature's reduction of ore.
2. Cave of the Cyclops.
3. Pottery.
4. Wood-carving.
5. Sculpture.
6. Music.
7. Weaving.
8. Painting.
9. Architecture.
10. The Wheel.
11. Ship-building.
12. Engines of War.
13. Glass.
14. Implements of Artificial Light.
15. Instruments for Measuring Time.
16. Astronomy.
17. Printing.
18. Steam.
19. Electricity.
20. Cauldron of the Veiled Prophets.
21. Their Dinner Service.
22. Veiled Prophet.

The Prophets have gone to great expense in fixing up for this year's display, not only in the character of the costumes, decorations, etc., but in all the essential details of the pageant, and the thousands who throng to the scene to-night will no doubt go home feeling that it far surpasses anything they were ever before afforded an opportunity to behold in the magnificence and splendor of its appointments.

The Line of March.

The following outline of the line of march is published for the convenience of persons who may desire to take up positions so as to have a good view of the show:

Leave the depot 8 p. m. sharp (departure to be announced by a shower of rockets from the den), thence north on Twelfth street to Pine, west on Pine to Eighteenth, north on Eighteenth to Washington avenue, east on Washington avenue to Fourth street, south on Fourth to Market, west on Market to Fifth, north on Fifth street to Washington avenue, east on Washington avenue to Third street, south on Third street to main entrance Merchants' Exchange, where Prophets will alight and enter the hall.

A grand pyrotechnic display will be given from the Court-house dome while pageant is passing.

POSTPONEMENT POSSIBLE.

At present writing there is a lingering doubt in the minds of the Prophets and people concerning the feasibility of having the pageant to-night. The inclement weather that obtruded itself into the faces of visitors this morning has refused to relent any, and unless it does subside somewhat, the probabilities are that the procession will be postponed. The POST-DISPATCH has telephone connection with the den of the Prophets and, through their improved lightning limbed instrument, received word from the Grand Oracle, who was seated on his session throne amid the assembled Prophets, that should the present drizzling state of the weather continue they were undecided whether to turn out or not; but should it become any worse the event would certainly be postponed, as the costumes and paraphenial of the Prophets are of too grand and costly a character to be brought in contact with a mortal rain storm. If it rains the public may rely upon it, the procession will be postponed.

The City's Visitors.

The number of visitors to the city have put the railroad companies to some pretty hard work to accommodate all who want to come, while many of those who are here find it impossible to obtain lodgings and are obliged to carry around their valises all day, and to snatch a little rest and shelter from such convenient places as they may happen to strike. The rooms were crowded this morning with such persons, and all around the city they might have been, and probably can still be, seen seated under awnings, in dry goods boxes, hovering around public institutions, and in fact putting up with anything and everything until the event of the day is over. Another of the extent of travel to the city will be had when it is known that this morning the Southeastern train was made up of ten packed coaches, the Wabash, No. 41 of ten, and No. 43 of ten coaches; the Vandalia, No. 2, of 9, and No. 10 of 14 coaches; the O. and M., No. 3, of 11, and No. 13 of 7 coaches; the I. and A. No. 4, of 9 and No. 38, of 5 coaches. The Bridge Company were obliged to employ double the number of collectors on the trains and upper roadway, and even then it was necessary for the trains to be stopped on the East Louis approach to enable collectors to go through the trains and make their collections.

The collectors say that before ten o'clock this morning not less than 8,000 persons entered the city by way of the bridge.

The Prophets' Ball.

The grand ball at the Chamber of Commerce to-night will be the event of the carnival, and will be an occasion the participants in which will not soon forget. The Chamber has been profusely decorated with flags, and flowers, and plants of different foliage; a magnificent pavilion has been erected, and the grand stand from which the grand Oracle will give greeting to the assembling multitude has been suitably fitted up with drapery of American emblems, high above which and suspended in a long rope hang the flags of all nations. Behind the throne, which is of cedar and gold, appear the words: "Veiled Prophets, to Guests, Greeting." Extra chandeliers have been put in throughout the building, and thousands of gas-jets will aid in showing to advantage the moving splendor below. The speaker's desk has been taken possession of and some of the prophets, the bulk consisting of Roman candles and colored fires.

The saloon-keepers, as a class, will illuminate, but in no very extravagant way. Several locomotive headlights have been engaged, and will appear here and there along Fourth and Fifth streets to dazzle the eyes of pedestrians.

King Comus' Imperial Flag.

At the Hotel Barnum numerous decorations were noted during the day, principal among which was the Imperial flag of Rex, King of the Carnival, who has sent his Le Comte de Meredosia as Minister Plenipotentiary from the New Orleans order to give greeting to their Mistick brethren of this city. The flag is composed of the royal colors, purple, green and gold, and has an imperial crown wrought upon a ground of gold. It is a beauty in its way and will float proudly over the procession of Prophets to-night to wave them a right hearty greeting from the Mistick Krewe of Comus. The flag should be seen by those who appreciate artistic workmanship, and will, no doubt, furnish our local mysterious circle a model upon which to pattern a magnificent banner of their own. The Mistick Krewe of Comus will celebrate their Mardi Gras carnival at New Orleans, February 10, 1881.

THE SCHOOL ELECTION.

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THE PATHFINDER.

Still No News From Wise and Burr, the Missing Aeronauts.

The discussion of interesting subjects connected with Fair week, which have hitherto engrossed the attention of the citizens of St. Louis to the exclusion of all others, is on this occasion supplemented by a topic which has resolved itself into a problem puzzling, wiseacres and baffling science. The missing "Pathfinder" is talked about equally as much as the Fair, it not more, and anxiety for the safety of the two adventurers finds expression on every lip. The procession of the Veiled Prophets and ball and the perilous position of the federal commands in the Far West are at the present time forgotten, giving way to speculation as to the probable point where the balloon landed.

THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY

interest in the absentees increases, and newspapers as far to the north as Canada present theories concerning the direction of the airship after leaving Lindell Park. Eight days have passed since the journey to the clouds was undertaken, and up to date nothing reliable has been received which would tend to locate the voyageurs. The exploring party that searched the Macoupin Bottom returned, establishing the fact that the balloon is not in that locality but further to the northeast.

THE SCRAPS OF PAPER

picked up here and there point out its hidden path and indicate that the pineries of Michigan or one of the great lakes is the proper place for investigation.

A BIT OF NEWS.

On yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock a gentleman giving the name of William A. Robinson called at the store of Mr. Mabley and showed him a letter just received from his nephew, Mr. George Sheers, who lives at Spring Lake, Michigan, a small town in Ottawa county. Mr. Sheers states that on the morning of the 29th ult., he saw a balloon traveling in the direction of the lake directly over his farm. The letter goes on to say that the balloon was at a very great height and going at a rapid rate; Mr. Sheers gives no opinion concerning his discovery and simply incloses the letter for the purpose of giving this information, vague as it is, to friends of the aeronauts in this city.

MR. MABLEY,

in order to learn more from this source, wrote a lengthy letter to Mr. Sheers, asking him to write more at length upon the subject. Mr. Mabley asked a number of questions, among which is one looking to the fitting out of an expedition to explore the regions where the Pathfinder is by some persons believed to have gone. Until such an investigation is made, Mr. Mabley thinks nothing will be heard from Professor Wise and Mr. Burr. He believes that both are alive, but in need of aid, and if that is not furnished them soon they will certainly perish in the forest where he now thinks they are.

THE REWARD

offered by Mr. Burr has thus far stimulated but few to action, and little or nothing is being done except by those personally interested in the welfare of the missing men to discover their fate. Mr. Burr is almost hopeless of ever seeing his brother again, but is willing to aid any expedition having for its object the discovery of the two, although he has the faintest hope that success would be the result.

No Conclusive Reason For Despair.

[From the New York Evening Post.]

Have these daring voyagers in a little-known and trackless sea really perished? Mr. Wise is far too experienced, one would say, to meet such a fate as that of Pilatre de Rozier. On general principles we should rather expect him to escape after the fashion of Carlo Brioschi. To fall into Lake Michigan is not necessarily to perish. Green, the famous English aeronaut, fell twice into the sea and yet escaped comparatively unhurt. As regards the distance that may have been traversed, this may far exceed the current estimates. The Pathfinder may have sailed in safety across the chain of the Great Lakes and even beyond.

AMONG THE LAW SHOPS.

Very Little Doing in the Courts To-day—The Finn-Laughlin Case in Circuit Court No. 5.

LEGAL NOTES.

While the Court-house presented a lively appearance both inside and outside this morning, the law mills were very nearly all stopped, and the lawyers and their clients enjoyed themselves in watching the preparations for the night's pageant. The only courts in session were Nos. 2 and 5, and in these very little was done. The other courts will remain adjourned to the latter part of the week, to give the clerks, judges, lawyers, jurymen and court-house boys who hold down seats in the lobby an opportunity of attending the Fair. The rotunda was, this morning a scene of extraordinary bustle. Order is the only thing of any interest to be seen in or around the rotunda is a leisurely janitor and probably a policeman, who are found in a cool and quiet nook given up to the refreshing influence of the Bavolynish weed in either of the two-fold manners in which it is enjoyed by mortals. To-day, however, the rotunda is occupied by workmen who are engaged in hoisting fire works and frames upon which to display them; by long and wearisome lines of folks who pour in from the four wing entrances and invariably want to know the way "to git up to the dome." The stairways, the verandas of the rotunda, the hall leading thereto are all crowded; the noise of hammer and saw is within and without and the tramp of thousands of feet is to be heard on all sides. Some of the rural gentry who try to make the ascent to the cloud region of the dome soon become carried up beyond carpet sacks with them, and this added to the intricate net work of umbrellas and ten cent canes dazes the Parthassian route a pretty difficult and dangerous one for those treading it. All passed off quietly, however, and those who had a look at the interior of the temple of justice were pleased at the workmanship and the manner of its construction and the beauty of its decorations.

THE FINN-LAUGHLIN CASE.

The Finn-Laughlin mandamus case came up in Circuit Court Room No. 5 this morning, when City Counselor Bell appeared and represented to the court that the city was interested in the suit, and he would like to have leave to appear in the case and defend the proceeding. Mr. Farish, on behalf of Finn, objected to Bell's appearing and thus lugging in a matter which did not directly appertain to the case in hand, and which might necessitate the opening of questions not yet touched upon. The court granted Counselor Bell permission to appear, and he thereupon requested and was allowed to withdraw the petition for mandamus, to quash the alternative writ, which motion will come up for hearing on Friday next.

COURT NOTES.

In the attachment suit of Moses Scharf and others against David Mayer, in Circuit Court room No. 5, the case was dismissed this morning on motion of plaintiff.

The damage suit of Julian and Mary Laurent against the St. Louis was dismissed this morning by the Judge, plaintiffs having failed to give security for costs.

Letters of administration were granted this morning by Probate Court Clerk Kerr to Richards as administrator of the estate of Theodoline T. Richards, deceased. The estate is valued at $6,000.

Circuit Court No. 2 was in session for a few minutes this morning, and the only thing the records have to show for it is a few filings.

Argument in the case of the Equitable Mutual Life Insurance Company was continued in the U. S. Circuit Court this morning. The case will probably be disposed of this afternoon.

U. S. Court.

The District Attorney in the cases against the National Bank Officers renewed his request to-day in the United States Circuit Court that the cases be set for trial on the first Monday in February, having received assurances from Justice Miller that there would be a court provided to try the cases then. Judge Krum, for the defense, announced that the fact of his making no objections to this order must not be taken as indicating that they would go to trial then.

JAY GOULD.

Vanderbilt's Rival on 'Change—He Refuses to be Pumped but is Going to the Ball.

Jay Gould, the prince of stock jobbers, upon whose devoted head more abuse and ridicule have probably been lavished in the last ten years than any other in America, was a visitor to the Merchants' Exchange this morning. The floor was packed with a perspiring, jostling mob of operators and visitors of every grade and profession, and the sun was never wiser with swarming gangs of workmen, under whose busy hands the coming glories, when shall mark the triumphal entry of the Veiled Prophet and his brilliant retinue into the home of their adoption, were taking shape. But all the varied forms there seen, from the humble and horny-handed tiller of the soil, to the mystic vision which rears aloft at the grand entrance, failed to attract from the attention paid the little man who quietly sauntered about the hall in company with Mr. John D. Perry.

"Where is he?" cried one bustling scalper, stopping in the midst of an offer to buy five December at twenty and three quarters.

"There he is," replied a friend; "that little fellier in the white hat."

And so ran the talk. Those who were familiar with the caricatures published in the illustrated papers, in which Mr. Gould is depicted as a Faginish looking villain, with a pronounced Jewish feature, failed to identify their possessor in the quiet, reserved, neatly dressed gentleman, with full beard and nose of slight prominence, who seemed only interested in his temporary surroundings.

After a brief stay and limited introductions to prominent members, and the acceptance of special invitations for himself and party from the local representative of the Veiled Prophet, Vanderbilt's only rival took his leave. A Post-Dispatch reporter undertook the somewhat difficult task of getting a "point" on the Wabash or Kansas Pacific, but the Man Afraid to Talk adroitly turned the point of every question.

"Mr. Gould," said the snubshed newspaper man, "what do you think of the stock market at present, and of its future."

"What a magnificent hall and building you have here," was the rather disconnected reply of the great operator.

The reporter waited a moment until Dave Francis had jotted down some names on a card, and then, seizing the urbane traveller by the unobtainable by the ear, proceeded with: "This is a most remarkable rise in Gould stocks, is it not, Mr. G.?"

J. G. hesitated long enough to say that he would be pleased to take a tete with the V. P. after the close of the ball, and carefully loosing the grasp on his particular appendage replied: "What a magnificent looking fellow that prophet is. He reminds me so forcibly of my dear departed friend, Jim Fisk."

Just here Theo. Barthoiow stepped in, and, securing an introduction to the gasping guest, began to remind the latter of how after C. B. Yale in N. Y. never dared to go near Wall street for fear of causing a panic, because of the striking strawberry mark resemblance between them.

That settled, and seeing no chance of securing his point, the reporter tipped his hat, J. G. winked, and there was a vacancy.

MONEY.

Money—3 P. M.

Business to-day was without any change of general interest. There was a very light inquiry for loans at the opening, but before one o'clock offerings had begun to come in quite freely, and the end of the day shows a liberal demand and fully up to the late average. Gain men were large borrowers, and manufacturers and jobbers were liberal contributors. Rates were steady and firm.

Currency mailed were in good volume, but we think hardly so heavy as yesterday. On the other hand there was a decidedly larger inflow from out-of-town correspondents.

New York exchange is dull and unchanged at a nominal range of 90c@$1 50 discount.

The stock market is very irregular and unsettled. Rumors were rife of a squeeze in the money market at New York, but there was not confirmation sufficient to affect the market further than as described.

Closing quotations on Government bonds at New York to-day are as follows:

	Bid.	Askd.
Coupons of '81	105	105½
New 5's	103½	103½
New 4½'s, registered	105½	105½
New 4½'s, coupon	105½	105½
New 4's, registered	102	102½
New 4's, coupons	102½	102½
New 6's of '95	122½	124½

The following quotations are furnished the Post-Dispatch by E. A. Coquard, stock and bond broker, Third and Pine streets.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

	When Payable.	Rate Int.	Coupons Due.	Buy-ing.	Sell-ing.
5-20s	1881	6 pc gold.	Jan. & July.	105	106
New 5s	1881	5 pc gold.	quarterly	103½	104
New 4½s '76	1891	4½ pc'd quarterly		105½	106
New 4s 1877	1907	4 pc gold.	quarterly	102½	102½

RAILROAD BONDS.

N. Mo. 1st m	'95	7 pc cur.	Jan. & July.	112½	113½
Mo. Pa. 1st m	'86	6 pc cur.	Feb. & Aug.	103½	104
I. M. 1st m.		7 pc gold.	Feb. & Aug.	114	114½
K. Pac. 1stm		6 pc gold.	Feb. & Aug.	118	119

MISSOURI SIXES.

Due 1882	102	Due 1888	106
Due 1886	103	Due 1889	106
Due 1887	105		

ST. LOUIS CITY AND COUNTY BONDS.

City 6s, gold	106¾@107¾
City 6s, gold sterling bonds	106¾@107¾
City 6s, currency	106¾@107¾
City 6s water bonds	106 @107
County 6s, gold	105¾@106¾
County 7s, currency	106 @107
Interest to seller.	

LAND WARRANTS.

	Buying.	Selling.
Land warrants, 160 acres	$155	$170
Land warrants, 120 acres	115	120
Land warrants, 80 acres	75	80
Land warrants, 40 acres	35	40

COIN AND EXCHANGE.

New Orleans Exchange, sight	par.
	2.50

MONEY.

Bank Discounts for 1st class paper	7 @ 8	per cent.
Outside discounts for 1st class paper	1½@ 2½	per cent.
Real estate securities	7 @10	per cent.

CLEARINGS AT ST. LOUIS.

	Week end'g Oct. 5.	Week end' Oct. 8.
Thursday	3,304,325	$3,124,801
Friday	3,301,897	3,945,973
Saturday	2,237,671	4,364,833
Monday	3,553,805	4,441,076
Tuesday	3,666,430	4,419,295
Wednesday	3,414,567	
Total	$19,480,698	

Quotations of Active Stocks at New York.

Compiled exclusively for the Post-Dispatch by John A. White, Mackey Public Grain and Stock Exchange, rooms 125 to 131 Chamber of Commerce:

STOCKS.	Closing Bids.	Opening to-day	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing Sales.
Northwestern	84½	84¾	85¼	84¾	84¾
Do. pref	101¼	101¾	102	101¾	102
St. Paul	72	72¼	73	72¼	73
Do. pref	98	98	98	98	98
Michigan Central	93	93¼	93¾	93	93¼
Lake Shore	95½	95¾	95¾	94¾	94¾
Erie	41	41¼	42	39	39
Erie pref	74	74¼	74¾	73¾	74
K. C. & N	26	26¼	27	26	25¾
Do. pref	63	63¼	64	62	63¼
W. Union	94	94¼	94¾	93¾	94¼
D., L. and W	72	72¼	73	71	71¾
N. J. C	60	60¼	61	60	61
D. and H	63¾	62	62	61	62
O. and M	21½	21¾	22¾	21½	22
D. and Sq					
Pac. Mail	32¾	33	33	31¾	32½

COMMERCE.

Withdrawals of Grain at St. Louis.

FROM ELEVATORS FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDED 7 A. M. TO-DAY.

(Warehouses not included.)

	City.	R.R.	River.	Total.
Wheat, bu	9,210	2,677		11,957
Corn, bu	5,913	2,766		8,679
Oats, bu	2,569	5,649		8,518
Rye, bu	404	411		815
Barley, bu	500			500

Receipts and Shipments of Wheat at Principal Points.

	Receipts. To-day, bu.	Yes'dy	Shipments. To-day bu.	Yes'dy
St. Louis	32,993	96,748	18,333	8,183
Chicago	222,989	201,621	58,660	141,116
Milwaukee		24,000		53,200
Toledo	215,000		41,000	
New York	361,000	428,000		413,000
Baltimore	369,650	228,060	205,158	322,697

Grain in Store in St. Louis.

In the various Elevators named, at 7 a. m., today.

Elevators	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Rye.	Barley.
St. Louis	352,846	180,823	123,872	15,151	10,695
Central	299,433	103,995	3,577	6,957	18,138
E. St. Louis	36,000		4,786	875	
Advance	102,320		10,850		
Service	142,271	6,200	52,725	794	
Total	1152,962	284,328	195,760	23,777	28,833

Grain Inspections.

Wheat—2 cars No. 2 spring, 1 car No. 3 spring, 24 cars No. 4 spring, 1 car rejected spring, 2 cars No. 2 red winter, 32 cars No. 3 red winter, 4 cars No. 4 winter, 2 cars rejected winter, 1 car mixed—67 cars.

Corn—1 car No. 2 white mixed, 6 cars No. 2 mixed. Total—7 cars.

Oats—1 car No. 2, 1 car No. 2 white. Total —1 cars.

Barley—None.

Rye—1 car No. 2. Total—1 car.

Comparative Closing Values of Leading Articles at 1 P. M.

	Yesterday.	To-day.
No. 2 red wheat, cash	120¼	119½
" " Oct	119	120 nom
" " Nov	122	122
" " Dec	123¾	123¾ bid
" " year	119½ bid	
No. 3 red wheat, cash	112¾	111½
" " Oct		111½ bid
" " Nov		112¾ bid
No. 4 red wheat, cash	105½ bid	105½
No. 2 white cash		
No. 2 Mediterranean	116½	115½
No. 2 mixed corn, cash	36½	37
" " Oct	36½	36¾ 15-16
" " Nov	34½ bid	35 bid
" " Dec	34	33½ bid
" " Jan	33¾	34¼
" " Feb	34¼	34½
" " May	37½	34½ bid
Rejected corn, cash	33½ bid	37 bid
No. 2 wh. mxd c. cash		37
No. 2 oats, cash	26	25½ bid
" " Oct	25¾	25¾ bid
" " Nov	27¼	27
" " Dec	27¼	27½ bid
" " May	28¾	28¾ bid
Rejected oats, cash	24	24
No. 2 white oats	26 bid	26 bid
No. 2 rye, cash	68¾	68¾ bid
" " Oct	66¾ bid	
" " Nov	63 bid	63 bid
Rejected rye, cash	65 bid	63 bid
Mess pork, cash	$10 65 nom	
Lard, cash	6.60	6.65
D. S. clear ribs	6.20	6¼
" " clear	6.30	6¾
Bacon shoulders, cash		5
" " long clear, cash	7	7@7.35
" " clear rib, cash	7	7¼@7.35
" " clear, cash	7¼	7½
Canvassed S. C. Hams	8¾	8¾@10¼
Tallow, prime country	5¾	5¾@5¾
Lard, prime steam	6.10	6.¼ nom

Breadstuffs and Provisions.

FUTURES.

Wheat—The market opened weak on a bad break of 1@1¾c from yesterday's close and then declined 1@1¾c more, but recovered after the call, and following a sharp advance, closed strong at full ¾c better than the close yesterday. Trading was light on all but December, of which about a quarter million bushels were sold. Sales were—5,000 bu at October at $1 18; 60,000 bu November at $1 20@1 19¾@1 22; 250,000 bu November at $1 22¾@1 20¾@1 23½. Nothing done in No. 3 red.

Corn—Irregular with more doing and higher at the close. Sales were—40,000 bu October at 37@36 15-16c; 25,000 bu November at 34 5-16 on the Wabash or Kansas Pacific, but the Man bu January at 34½c; 10,000 bu February at 34½c.

Oats—Inactive but strong. Only sale was 5,000 bu November at 27c.

CASH TRANSACTIONS.

Flour—Full for the week, dull and unsettled, there being little demand for any description. We quote the closing rates: Fine $4 00@4 20; superfine $4 35@4 55; x $5 00@5 75; xx $4 30@5 15; xxx $5 25@5 45; family $5 60@3 70; choice $5 75@5 90; fancy $6 00@6 40.

Wheat—Grades—Took a lower range in price; 2c. to 3c. cooler all day on call and soon after, mainly at $1 17¾—nothing of moment doing late, but at close (when Futures were steady again) $1 18¾ was the bid for it. No. 3 red ranged one call from $1 11 to $1 11¾, fell to $1 11¾, soon after, but was nominally higher at close,—as was No. 4 then at which all sales were at $1 05¾; No. 2 Mediterranean is down at $1 15½. Millers took some of every grade (all of the Mediterranean)—limited speculative movement in No. 2 and 3 red, and light order purchases of No. 4. No rejected offered; bids of $1 12 and $1 10 for Nos. 2 and 3 white (spring) and at $1 05 for No. 2 and $1 04 for No. 3—no bids. Sample offerings were light; they moved very slowly, at full 1c decline. Sales: Grades [this side, and receipts] No. 2 red winter, 2 cars at $1 14 cars early and late at $1 17¾, 3 fc. after call at $1 17¾, 1 do at $1 17⅝. 20,000 bu to arrive p. t.; No. 3 red winter, 4 cars at $1 11, 3 at $1 11¼@1 11¾, 2 at $1 11¾, 10 $1 11¾, 14 $1 11¾, 16 $1 11⅞; No. 4—14 cars $1 05¾; No. 2 Mediterranean—10 cars $1 15½.

Corn—Grades—Mixed in active demand, opening ¾c better, at 37¼c, a distiller taking 5,000 bu at that, but afterward cars and 5,000 lot sold at 37c—some in store at 37¼c, a full ¾c advance; rejected steady and firmer—order buyers took all offered; No. 2 white mixed steady and firm in St. L. at 37c, but le lower in C. at 36—a 5-car buyer taking it; rejected white mixed bid steady at 35c—none offered. Sample white mixed sold steady at 37c on track. Sales: Grades—5,000 bu No 2 mixed reg at 37¼c, 5,000 bu reg to-morrow and 22 cars reg to-fir at 37c; 4 cars rejected in St. L. at 34½c; 3 cars No 2 white mixed St L at 37c, 1 do in C at 36c.

OATS—Grades No. 2 firm at yesterday's decline (25¾)—in good feeding request at that. Rejected steady at 25c—in order paying ¼c advance—24½c. and No. 2 white brought ¼c advance—sales, but moved slowly. Samples firmer, firmer and in demand from local buyers. Sales: Grades—3 cars No. 2 fir. and st. fr 25¾, 12 cars reg to-fir at 25¾c, 2 cars No. 2 white to-fir at 26¼c.

Provisions, etc.—Pork—St. Meats and bacons sadie again advanced largely in value; only one or two parties had any stock, and they made their orders known, parties having inquiry orders to fill being forced to accede thereto. Pork up also. Lard quiet—could have been bought at 6.20c but had only 6.10c bid. Sales: Pork—75 brls mess side $10 50, 60 do (job lots) at $10 65, 25 f. o. b. E. side at $10 70; Orders—150 brls at $11. Lard—68 tes (prime steam) at 6.10c; 75 tes (prime country steam sold at 6c. Refined in tes sells on order at 6¾@7c. Bacon—Country—3 hds clear sold at 7c, 1c. to 2c. above the former; 6.35@50c; 120 pcs country pork house clear 7c, 49 csks and bxs and hhds short clear early at 7¼c, 65 csks do late at 7½c, 32 hf csks clear 7¾c, 45 csks do late at 7¾c, 25 csks mixed at 4¼c; do sales hams heard of, orders (53 pkgs) —shoulders at 4¾@4½c, clear rib at 7½c, short clear 7¾c, good to choice at 8c. U. S. Meats—120 pkgs: shoulders at 3.90@4c, c'ribs at 6¾@6.65@6¾c, short clear at 7c; loose (market rate) sales at 6.65c for shoulders, 6¾@6¾c for c'ribs and long clear as in sage, 6¾c for short clear; yesterday p. m. 500,000 lbs shoulders up country sold on p. t.

The Produce Market.

LEAD—Firm and very stiff; in good demand at $3 75 for soft Missouri, but generally held higher.

RYE FLOUR—The market is higher at $3 85 @4 25 for good to choice; on orders 25c@30c higher.

CORNMEAL—Market higher, with sales of city on orders at $2 35 del.

HIGHWINES—Firm at $1 08, with sales of spirits on private terms at $1 08 basis.

WHITE BEANS—Steady. We quote: Medium Eastern (from store) $1 70@1 75; do navy $1 80@1 85; Western—common, mixed and off color 75c@$1; fair to good medium at $1 10@1 20; navy $1 50@1 60.

WOOL—Firm and unchanged. We quote: Tub-washed 42@43c; unwashed—Medium and combing mixed 26@27c; medium 25@26c; light fine 18@21½c; heavy do 16@18½c; coarse 20¾@21½c; Southern burry 10@12c; burry, black and cotted 3@10c per lb less.

HIDES—Firm. We quote: No. 1 dry flint 17@17½c; do 2 do 15@16c. Dry salted—No. 1, 13@13½c; damaged 10c. Green salted—No. 1, 9c; damaged 7¾c, call (No. 1) 10@11c; green salted kips 9½c.

SHEEP PELTS—Steady. Green—small to medium 50@65c; large 75c@$1 25; dry—large 60@90c, small 25@50c; shearlings, dry and green 10c.

FEATHERS—We quote: Prime live geese 48½@49c, top rate for small sacks; No. 2 do 40@42c; good mixed do 35@38c; mixed 37@38c; 7@22c; tare 3 ₰ cent on large sacks and 10 on small.

GRASS SEEDS—Slow. We quote: Prime—Red top 60@65c; Timothy $1 85@1 91; Clover $4 30@4 35, and choice $4 40.

FLAXSEED—Prime in demand and firm at $1 15 while off lots find few friends; fair sells at $1 07@1 12½; common and trashy at 80c up to $1 05 as in quality.

CASTOR BEANS—Lower; prime at 96c.

BALINGSTUFF—Quiet. We quote in job and order lots: 2-lb flax 8¾@9c; 2-lb jute 10¼@10½c. Hemp twine 11@12c. Iron cotton ties firm at $2 50 bdl.

DRIED FRUIT—Peaches and apples both steady. We quote: Peaches, old, fair to good halves 5@6½c; choice to fancy 7@8c. Apples —Western, fair to choice 5@5½c; fancy sliced 5¾@6c.

TROPICAL FRUIT—Lemons and oranges overplenty and slow, at $5@8 50 for Louisiana oranges in bris and Messina in boxes. Lemons $6@6 50 ₰ box. Cocoanuts $50 ₰ thousand—higher in small way. Bananas, on orders, $2@3 ₰ bunch.

LIVE STOCK.

Comparative receipts and shipments for the 24 hours ending to-day, and the same day in 1878:

	Receipts. 1879.	Receipts. 1878.	Shipments. 1879.	Shipments. 1878.
Cattle	2,079	2,681	1,371	20
Hogs	3,489	1,515	4,827	870
Sheep	468	1,528	179	90

CATTLE—The supply of grass Texans fair; and with good ready shipping early in the day. In fact by 9 a. m. the p ns were cleared of stock, leaving but a few loads of unde-irable stuff on sale. The demand from local speculators, interior shippers and the buyers of the canning companies was quite large and these buyers would have readily consumed twice the number were these in the pens. Yesterday afternoon there was but little doing, and the light supply found prompt disposal early in the day at ranges of $2@4 20 per 100 lbs. Eastern shippers of this lotenoon were lookin around, but did not show much urgency, although had there been offerings of good corned native steers in the pens they would have taken fair numbers, but at very low prices. The prospects are that the remainder of the week the balance of the week will be light. Stock and feeding steers slow and unchanged. Milch cows with calves dull. Ruling quotations steady.

RULING QUOTATIONS.

Export steers	$4 70@$4 85
Prime native steers, av. 1,400 to 1,500 lbs	4 50@4 65
Good to prime graded steers, av. 1,100 to 1,350	4 00@4 40
Common to good grass native steers	3 00@3 85
Good to prime native feeding steers, av. 900 to 1,100	3 00@3 50
Fair to good stockers, av. 800 to 900	2 50@2 90
Good to prime native cows and heifers	2 50@3 00
Common to fair native cows	1 75@2 25
Good to prime Texas steers	3 00@3 50
Common to good grass Texan steers	2 25@3 15
Fair to good Colorado steers	2 50@3 00
Common to good mixed native steers	2 25@2 50

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.					
400 Texas steers	940	$2 75			
22 Texan steers	870	2 85			
23 Texan mixed steers	871	2 85			
19 Texan steers	921	3 00			
19 Texan steers	921	3 00			
21 Texan steers	903	3 00			
30 Texan cows	816	2 75			
22 Texan steers	917	3 00			
19 Texan steers	848	2 75			
40 Texan steers	949	2 85			
40 Texan steers	925	2 62½			
40 Texan steers	916	2 62½			
10 native cows	916	2 25			
23 Southwest steers	806	2 50			
16 Southwest cows	1,003	2 00			
20 Southwest cows	815	2 25			
22 native cows	862	2 30			
11 native steers	1,209	2 70			

HOGS—There is no change to note whatever in the hog market. Offerings light, and while found ready sale at the full prices of yesterday, prices prevailing on yesterday. Shippers and summer packers were the leading operators on the market, paying from $3 50@3 62½ for Yorkers and Baltimore, and the latter from; $3 30@3 60 for light packing. Value firm. Stockers, $2 75@3 00; fresh, $3 10@3 40; fancy, $3 45@3 60; Yorkers and Baltimore, $3 59@3 62½, and butchers and select $3 50@3 75.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.					
No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
49	257	$3 70	13	239	$3 30
32	202	3 60	105	197	3 70
32	202	3 60	118	157	3 37½
31	203	3 60	65	225	3 50

SHEEP—Butcher and shipping inquiry fair; supply only moderate. Shippers are cautious in their movements, and are trying to break down prices, in which they are succeeding to some extent. Lambs scarce and wanted. Values show.

We quote: $2 40@2 75 for common to medium muttons, $2 90@3 40 for fair to good and $3 50@3 75 for choice. Extra heavy and prime shipping sheep $3 80@4 00 per 100 lbs. Lambs $1@2 50 per head. Texan sheep $2 25@3 per head.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.				
No.	Description.	Av.	Price.	
87	native sheep	96	$3 00	
416	native sheep	110	3 00	
63	native sheep	80	2 75	

Live Stock Markets by Telegraph.

CINCINNATI, O., October 7.—HOGS—Common, $3@3 60; fair to good light $3 65@3 80; packing grades $3 60@3 85; butchers $3 80@4 00. Receipts, 2,025.

NEW YORK, October 7.—Receipts 289 cattle and 921 sh ep and lambs. This not being regular market day, very little was done and there was no essential change in prices.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, October 7.—Cotton quiet at 10 7-16d. Flour quiet; receipts 25,000; sales, 14,000; $5 50@6 00 for common to choice extra winter; $5 75@7 25 for round hoop. Rye dull. Corn—Wheat, spring dull and weak; winter shade lower, fairly active; receipts 367,000; sales 264,000; No. 1 white October at 37½c; spring firm; quiet; receipts 257,000; sales 80,000; 55@55¾c. Barley quiet. Pork steady; receipts 29,000; sales 32,000; 38@41c mixed Western; 40@43¾c white. Pork dull at $9 75@10 00 for mess. Lard easier at 6.35c. Butter, cheese, whisky, sugar and eggs unchanged. Petroleum, crude, 5¾@6¾c; refined, 7½c. Tallow unchanged.

CHICAGO, October 7.—Wheat irregular, unsettled, lower, closed strong; No. 2 red $1 16@1 17; spring $1 10; cash $1 10¾c; October $1 12¾; November $1 10¾; December 1.09¾c, easy, closing stronger at 38c; cash 38¾c; October 38½c; November 40c; May. Oats steady at 28½c; cash 29c; November. Rye dull at 56½c; May 76c. Pork, irregular; cash highor; options lower at $10 75; cash $8 90; November 9¼@9 40c; January. Lard weak and lower at 6.31¼@6 34c; cash $5 75; November $5 82½ bid January. Whisky $1 07.

NEW ORLEANS, October 7.—Flour—active and higher; stock declining rapidly; XXX $5 75@6; family $6 25@6 50; receipts 120. Corn Scarce and firm; mixed 58c; white 60c; yellow 58c. Oats—38@39c. Hay—choice $23; prime $19. Bran—75c. Corn meal—Easy at $2 25@2 50.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, October 7.—Business is unchanged and irregular in character. Prints remain dull. Wide sheetings and cotton flannels are in fair inquiry, but other cotton goods are rather quiet. Woolen cloths are in good manufacturing demand, and all woolen goods move well.

River Telegrams.

LOUISVILLE, October 7.—River stationary here, with two feet two inches in canal. No rise or fall this morning. Business is dull. Weather cloudy and rainy. Arrivals and departures: L. A. shirley, Cincinnati to Cincinnati; Margie Harper, Madison to Madison; Fashion, Henderson to Henderson.

EVANSVILLE, October 7.—Weather cloudy with more rain, clearing at noon; Mercury 72@80°. River 17 10 and falling. Packet list: W. A. Johnson, from Waterloo, 1 a. m.; Fawn, from Cairo, 6 a. m.; both with light trips. Little business.

CINCINNATI, October 7.—No arrivals or departures. River 3 feet 2 inches. Wind stationary. Weather cloudy and warm.

CAIRO, ILL., October 7.—Arrived: Joe Kinney, Walnut Bend, 10 a. m. Raining all forenoon. Warm.

PITTSBURG, October 7.—River, seven inches below marks; weather clear and warm.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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Iron Mountain Route.

Mobile and New Orleans passengers and local passengers between St. Louis and Belmont take notice: Train No. 5, leaving Plum Street Depot at 8:35 p. m. daily, will not leave Plum Street Depot to-night until 10:30 p. m.

A. W. SOPER, Gen'l Sup't. O. W. RUGGLES, Gen'l Pass. Agent.

ABOUT TOWN.

ALL the leading stores in the city will close at 4 p. m.

CONWAY & CO., 620 Olive st., make a specialty of making up underwear to order.

THE docket in the First District Police Court this morning was very light, and but few cases were disposed of.

THE demand for eligible elevations from which to view the procession is something extraordinary. About ninety per cent of the spectators will get standing room on the sidewalks.

THE roof of building No. 719 Walnut street was damaged to the extent of $5 by fire occasioned by flying sparks last evening. No alarm was turned on. Officer McGrath extinguished the flames with a few buckets of water.

A MATCH game, thirty-one points, played yesterday at Howard & Ryan's, southwest corner Seventh street and Clark avenue, between Ben Elam and D. Ashton for $25 a side, resulted in favor of Elam. The score stood 31 to 30.

C. W. THIEL, for obstructing the streets, failed to answer in the First District Police Court this morning, and was fined $100 and costs by default; J. J. Hellmer, for being drunk on the streets, was assessed costs, and Henry Claykamp, for disturbing the peace, was fined a like amount by Judge Jecko this morning.

A GOOD PLAN.—THE MOST PROFITABLE way for dealing in stocks is by combining many orders and co-operating them as a whole, dividing profits pro rata among the shareholders, according to the market. Each customer thus secures all the advantages of immense capital and experienced skill, and can use any amount from $10 to $10,000 or more, with equal proportionate success. "New York Stock Reporter" and new circular mailed free. Full information for any one to operate successfully. LAWRENCE & CO., 57 Exchange Place, New York.

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LOCAL CRIME.

Lottery Cases Continued.

Forty-five cases of the Missouri State Lottery Company encumbered the docket of the Court of Criminal Correction this morning. When the initial case was called the defense asked for a continuance until the 24th of October, which was granted by the Court.

Petit Larceny.

Franz Kratzer was arrested this morning and assigned a cell in the City Jail, charged with petit larceny. The prosecuting witness is Edward Ebinger, who alleges that on last Saturday afternoon the defendant stole $12 from his place of business in the western part of the city. The case will have a hearing on the 10th inst.

Continued Generally.

The case of Charles Gibson, charged with grand larceny in stealing a horse and buggy of John Carroll from No. 2109 Division street, on the 23d of last month, was continued generally in the Court of Criminal Correction this morning on motion of Prosecuting Attorney Hogan. No case could be made against the defendant, hence the disposition.

Three Months Below.

Tony Schnetz has gone to the Work-house for three months on a charge of obtaining goods under false pretenses. The crime consisted of obtaining $4 from Henry South, of No. 2200 Jackson street, on the last day of August, by representing that it was to be used by Henry Bergh, a friend of the affiant, in the purchase of a quantity of vegetables. Tony is an old offender.

Sullivan's Sentence.

It would have been better for John Sullivan if he had pleaded guilty when arraigned before Judge Cady in the Court of Criminal Correction this morning instead of pleading not guilty, being adjudged guilty in the trial and sentenced to one year's imprisonment in the Work house. John's crime consists of stealing $5 worth of axes from Shapleigh's hardware house on the 2nd of the present month. His sentence goes into effect at once.

The Wrong Parties.

On the night of the 23d of September the residence of Mrs. Evaline Bryan was burglarized by some unknown burglar or burglars. The police were notified of the case and arrested Eugene Bainbridge and William H. Cohen as the guilty parties. This morning they were arraigned in the Three C.'s Court on a charge of burglary in the second degree and larceny, pleaded not guilty, and on an examination were discharged.

For Assaulting a Woman.

James Barker, one of the Ninth street roughs, came before Judge Jecko this morning charged with disturbing the peace by knocking Jennie Howard down near the corner of Ninth and Chestnut streets at an early hour this morning. Jennie is a colored lady, and while she was out after a pitcher of beer she was met by Parker. He caught her by the shoulder, struck her a couple of blows, and was arrested by Officer Dunlap. Jennie testified too readily on the witness stand to injure the court with her veracity, and the result was he fined the defendant only costs.

Rival Teamsters.

John Klang and August Vogel are rival teamsters, and not the best friends in the world. Last evening they met at Schneider's Brewery and Vogel struck Klang a heavy blow. They met shortly afterwards again and a general altercation ensued, during which both men fought like prize ring bullies. Vogel struck Klang with his whip several times in the face and then called the police, although being the heaviest man of the two. Officer Gannon came and arrested Klang, and the case was docketed before Judge Jecko in the First District Police Court this morning. On a hearing of the case the Court, through some unknown cause, fined the defendant $5 and costs and sent him back to the dock

A Tramp's Fate.

John Veitler, a suspicious looking tramp, came out of the Cock before the First District Police Court to-day to answer to a charge of carrying concealed weapons. He was found last night by Officer Sullivan wandering about in a respectable neighborhood and questioned as to his residence and occupation. He could give no satisfactory account of himself and was arrested on general principles. On being searched at the Police Station a revolver was found on his person, and he was sent to court on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. He pleaded guilty on trial and was fined $50 and costs.

RIVER NEWS.

THE Josie sails to-morrow evening for St. Paul.

THE Scully is this evening's packet for Cape Girardeau.

THE Belle Moore is announced for New Orleans Saturday.

THE Hard Cash leaves to day with all the freight she wants.

THE Montana, Capt. Todd, leaves this evening for Vicksburg.

THE Iron Age, a new steel hull boat built at Carondelet, will be put in the Memphis and St. Louis packet trade.

THE Grey Eagle, Capt. Wm. Leyhe, left for Quincy with lumber she brought from Paducah.

G. J. WORLEY, late pastry cook of the Colorado, is an interesting correspondent of the Marine Journal.

EXPECTED in before the P.-D. goes to press: The Fannie Tatum, John D. Maude, Maggie P. and Laura Lavis.

CAPT. Kountz has sent west a man named Cunningham to look after the Gen. Custer, sunk in the Missouri.

CAPT. WM. R. KYLE, President of the Eureka Insurance Company, of Cincinnati, died in San Antonio, Texas, on Saturday night.

THE Marine Journal, of Cincinnati, has entered its second year of life greatly improved with valuable articles and correspondence.

THE Gen. Custer, sunk in the Missouri, has broken in two, and is a total loss. Capt. Ed. McPherson will attack her and recover the machinery.

FIRST due: The Grand Lake, Bagdad, Future, Fort Rice, Kehler, Mollie Moore, Durfee, Quincy, Rhonda, Josephine, Josie, Hallday and Imperial.

ASHFORD believes the propeller Rapid Transcript will now be a great success. The Indiana, a similar boat, will soon be offered for sale by her St. Louis owners.

MR. JOHN H. HANNA, one of the most popular and successful grain merchants of New Orleans, is stopping at the Lindell. He will remain several days in town.

CAPT. Darragh's excellent Arkansas River packet, Mauneelle, will begin to load to-morrow morning. James Bowman is the consignee and P. S. Brown, a reliable citizen, is her agent.

THE Maggie P. went to Peoria without difficulty. She left there with 100 tons dry grooders for points on the Illinois. The Maggie P. leaves to-night for Peoria. A. W. Gould and Greer & Co. are her agents.

RIVER rising slowly. On gauge 7 ft., 10 in. Upper rivers have swelled a foot in two days from heavy rains. Steamers arriving this morning brought a large number of people to visit the fair. The Bald Eagle and Golden Eagle were crowded to their utmost capacity.

MR. Geo. Lee, lately on the steamer Choctaw, associates himself with Mr. Clem. Nauson, to carry on a grocery and general supply business in Leadville, Col. They will probably start on saturday for their future home, and many good wishes will accompany them.

LITTLE ROCK Gazette, October 5: Little water; lower than since 1860. Steamer Big Rock left ten days ago; hard aground in the tiny Arkansas, twenty miles below here. Flow Boy arrived at Pine Bluffs some days since. Billy Nickles arrived from St. Louis; glad to see him. The gar is an Arkansas fish. They have a hard time in crawling along the river now. They can't find water enough to swim in. Among the urgent needs are: water, navigation and planters' supplies. Freights are plenty, and tonnage can't be used.

A P.-D. REPORTER heard a boatman say that Judge Krekel's decision, given the other day, in the steamer Don Cameron insurance case, puts United States officers above United States laws. The reporter does not endorse this radical assertion, but he deems the action of the Government very absurd in employing unlicensed pilots and engineers on steamboats. The absurdity and the wrong of it are more glaring when it is remembered that the Government is still imposing on engineers and pilots a scandalously exorbitant charge for licenses and renewals.

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GOULD.....Master, Leaves SATURDAY, Oct. 11, at 5 p. m.

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ED. POSTAL.....Master, Leaves MONDAY EVENING, October 6; loads foot of Washington avenue. L. F. D'ARCAMBAL, Agent.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of John F. Thornton, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, on the 11th day of September, 1879. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred. JAMES H. THORNTON, Administrator of John F. Thornton, deceased. St. Louis, Mo., September 23, 1879. 343

TRUSTEE'S SALE—Whereas, John W. Miller, by his deed, dated April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, and recorded on page 240 of Book No. 567 of the records of the Recorder of Deeds for the county of St. Louis, conveyed to the undersigned all that certain tract of real estate in the city of St. Louis, and described as follows, to-wit: Lots No. eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15) and sixteen (16) in block number two (2) of the second subdivision of the city commons of the city of St. Louis, made under ordinance number 2126, approved February 3, 1854, said lots containing a front of one hundred and fifty-five feet three inches on the east line of California avenue and a depth of one hundred and twenty-five feet; in trust to secure the payments of certain notes specified in said deed. Now, under the provisions of said deed, the undersigned will offer said property for sale, at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, at the eastern front of the Court-house, in the said city, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of FRIDAY, THE 17TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1879, for the purposes of said trust.

3 MARSHAL P. SANGUINET, Trustee.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, in vacation after June Term, 1879. Wednesday, September 17, 1879.

Eugene H. Cross vs. Ida Euretta Cross.

Now at this day comes the plaintiff, by his attorney, and files a petition and affidavit from which it appears that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, and therefore, it is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that the defendant has absented herself from plaintiff without a reasonable cause for more than one year last past; and unless she appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis, within and for the city of St. Louis, on the first Monday of December next, and, on or before the third day thereof, answer the plaintiff's petition the same will be taken against her as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis POST-DISPATCH, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, this 17th day of September, 1879.

(SEAL) CHARLES F. VOGEL, Clerk.

ANGUS CAMERON, Esq., plaintiff's attorney. 341

LEGAL.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, in vacation after June term, 1879. Thursday, September 18, 1879.

Benjamin Van Nostrand vs. Mary J. Van Nostrand.

Now, at this day, comes the plaintiff, by his attorney, and files a petition and affidavit from which it appears that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri; whereupon it is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that the defendant has absented herself from plaintiff without a reasonable cause for more than one year last past; and unless she appear at the term of this Court to be begun and held in the city of St. Louis, and for the city of St. Louis, on the first Monday of December next, and, on or before the third day thereof, answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against her as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis POST-DISPATCH, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, this 18th day of September, 1879.

(SEAL) CHARLES F. VOGEL, Clerk.

J. W. COLLINS, Attorney for plaintiff. 345

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution to me directed, from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, at the city of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1879, of said Court, and to me directed, wherein The State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the city of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, O'Neil, John J. O'Neil, wife of John J. O'Neil, John J. O'Neil, Joseph Hogy, restui que trust, and Samuel N. Holliday, trustee, are defendants. I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis, and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit: Number one, the undivided one-half of lot or tract of land, consisting of 14 and 37-100 acres, and being known as lot number 78 in the Carondelet Common Fields Survey, being bounded on the north by the real estate of one M. Gray, on the east by land in the south St. Louis subdivision, on the south by the real estate of said defendant Ellen F. O'Neil, and on the west by the Gravois Road. Number two, the undivided one-half of a lot or tract of land, consisting of 22 and 4-100 acres, and being known as lot number 80, in the Carondelet Common Fields survey, being bounded on the north by the real estate of said defendant, Ellen F. O'Neil, on the east by land in the south St. Louis subdivision, on the south by land in E. Block's subdivision, and on the west by the Gravois Road, and I will on

TUESDAY, THE 21ST DAY OF OCTOBER, 1879, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, charged with said lien, to satisfy said execution and costs.

JOHN FINN, Sheriff City St. Louis. St. Louis, Mo., September 26, 1879. 8

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